

# Rally Chants

Call & response: leader begins chant, crowd response noted in **red bolded text**.

What do we want? **Respect!**  
When do we want it? **Now.**  
What do we want? **Fair wages!**  
When do we want it? **Now.**  
What do we want? **A fair contract!**  
When do we want it? **Now.**  
What do we want? **Safe workplaces.**  
When do we want it? **Now.**

Everywhere we go.  
**Everywhere we go.**  
People always ask us.  
**People always ask us.**  
Who we are.  
**Who we are.**  
So we tell them.  
**So we tell them.**  
We are the Nurses.  
**We are the Nurses.**  
The Mighty Mighty Nurses.  
**The Mighty Mighty Nurses.**  
We are the Nurses.  
**We are the Nurses.**  
We couldn't be prouder.  
**We couldn't be prouder.**  
If you can't hear us.  
**If you can't hear us.**  
Then we'll shout a little louder.  
**Then we'll shout a little louder.**

When I say "respect" you say "Nurses":  
respect **NURSES!** respect **NURSES!**  
When I say "union" you say "power":  
union **POWER!** union **POWER!**  
When I say "worker" you say "power":  
worker **POWER!** worker **POWER!**

Show me what democracy looks like.  
**This is what DEMOCRACY looks like.**  
Show me what a union looks like.  
**This is what a UNION looks like.**  
Show me what a worker looks like.  
**This is what a WORKER looks like.**  
Show me what solidarity looks like.  
**This is what SOLIDARITY looks like.**

Who's got the power?  
**We got the power!**  
What kind of power?  
**Nurses power!**



**Day of Action Rally**

**NURSES CALL  
FOR RESPECT**

# Day of Action Rally

## NURSES CALL FOR RESPECT

Our union, united, will never be divided!  
Our union, united, will never be defeated!

We go FORWARD.  
We don't go back!

1 2 3 4 We won't take it anymore!  
5 6 7 8 Nurses negotiate!

AT your side!  
ON your side!

Hey hey. Ho ho.  
Disrespect has got to go!  
Hey hey. Ho ho.  
Privatization has got to go!  
Hey hey. Ho ho.  
Healthcare cuts have got to go!

There ain't no power  
like the power of nurses,  
'cause the power of the nurses  
don't STOP!  
Say What?

### SOLIDARITY FOREVER written by Ralph Chaplin.

CHORUS: Solidarity Forever (3×). For the union makes us strong!

When the union's inspiration through the workers' blood shall run,  
There can be no power greater anywhere beneath the sun.  
Yet what force on earth is weaker than the feeble strength of one,  
But the union makes us strong! CHORUS

It is we who plowed the prairies, built the cities where they trade.  
Dug the mines and built the workshops, endless miles of railroad laid.  
Now we stand outcast and starving midst the wonders we have made,  
But the union makes us strong! CHORUS

They have taken untold millions that they never toiled to earn,  
But without our brain and muscle not a single wheel can turn.  
We can break their haughty power, gain our freedom when we learn,  
That the union makes us strong! CHORUS

In our hands is placed a power greater than their hoarded gold  
Greater than the might of armies, magnified a thousand fold  
We can bring to birth a new world from the ashes of the old  
For the union makes us strong! CHORUS

